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SUBJECT: GUATEMALA HUMAN RIGHTS LEAHY AMENDMENT VETTING REQUEST -  
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The Political/Economic Section at Embassy Guatemala has identified the following individuals to participate on the eTrace Seminar that will be held at the DGE CAM (GOG Ministry of Arms and Ammunitions) in Guatemala City ongoing through March 2010. Embassy conducted its own review and found no credible information that the individual below has been involved in gross human rights violations. Please conduct human rights vetting and advise of any results by September 18, 2009.

NAME: Hermelindo CHOZ SOC  
RANK: Warehouse Manager  
DOB: April 21, 1971  
POB: Totonicapan, Guatemala

NAME: Jose Manuel RIVAS GUERRA  
RANK: Information Manager  
DOB: April 10, 1973  
POB: Guatemala, Guatemala

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